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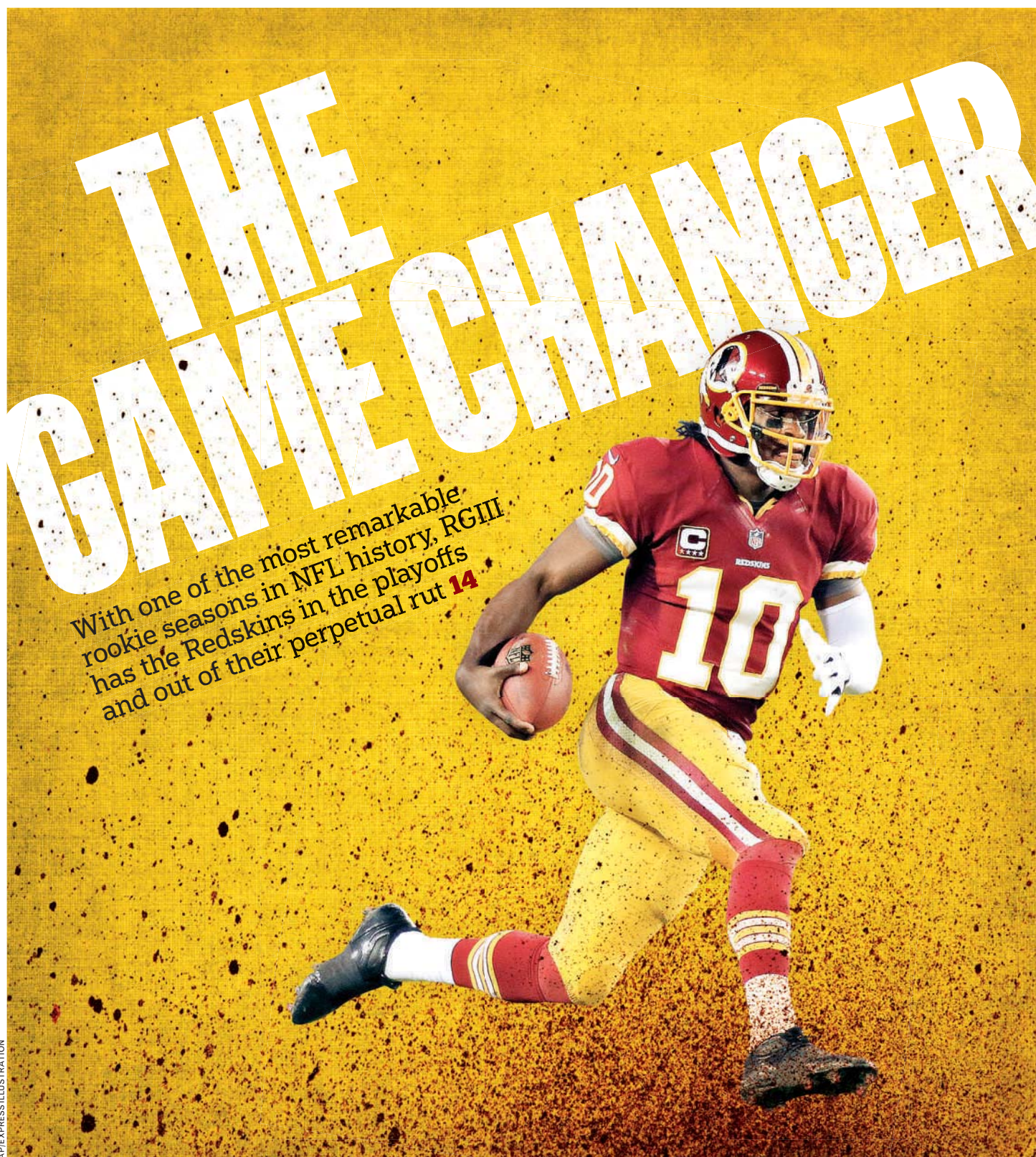


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Visitors to parts of Everglades National Park are getting "anti-vulture kits" — tarps and bungee cords to make their vehicles less delectable to vultures. Park officials say migrating vultures have developed a habit of ripping off windshield wipers, sunroof seals and other rubber and vinyl vehicle parts. Employees have tried to scare away the vultures, but that didn't work. (AP)

HISTORY

"It's not often we go exploring and end up with a bomb in a bucket of water."

— TRACEY CATER, AFTER A 10-POUND BRITISH PRACTICE BOMB FROM WWII WAS FOUND BY HER 7-YEAR-OLD SON USING A METAL DETECTOR HE RECEIVED AS A CHRISTMAS PRESENT, THE TELEGRAPH REPORTED FRIDAY

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'Stop Bugging Me; I've Finally Reached a Rep for Comcast'

Police in Bremerton, Wash., said a woman carrying a gun tried to rob a convenience store but the clerk was too busy talking on the phone to notice. The Kitsap Sun reported Friday that the Mini Mart clerk thought the woman was joking but then was told to unload the till. The clerk told her he was busy and kept talking. The woman then left, police said. (EXPRESS)

The Big Picture



'THESE DAMN KIDS AND THEIR DAMN CONFETTI': A worker clears confetti from a sidewalk in Times Square after midnight Tuesday in New York. With fireworks, concerts and celebrations from Hong Kong to the Big Apple, revelers welcomed 2013 with hope for a better future after a year that thudded to a close with a disastrous storm, gun violence and talk of economic turmoil from the looming fiscal cliff.

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# Cliff Deal Hits Snag With House GOP

Republicans may try to amend bill to add more spending cuts

## Washington

Emergency legislation to avoid the economy-threatening fiscal cliff ran into vehement New Year's Day opposition from House Republicans, casting doubt on the divided government's ability to prevent widespread tax increases and painful, across-the-board federal spending cuts.

"I do not support the bill," House Majority Leader Eric Cantor, R-Va., said after a meeting of his party's rank and file. "We are looking, though, for the best path forward."

As the extraordinary New Year's session wore on into the evening, the clamor to add spending cuts to the measure became tempered by concerns that the Senate would refuse to consider any changes, sending the bill into limbo and saddling Republicans with the blame for a whopping middle-class tax increase.

One Senate Democratic leadership aide said Majority Leader Harry Reid "will absolutely not take up the bill" if the House changes it. The legislation cleared the Senate hours earlier on a pre-dawn vote of 89-8. White House aides met at the



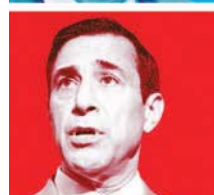
**"I'd be shocked if this does not go back to the Senate [with changes by the House]."**

— REP. SPENCER BACHUS, R-ALA., AFTER THE SENATE PASSED FISCAL-CLIFF LEGISLATION



**"[It's] a bad deal for America."**

— REP. JAMES MORAN, D-VA., ON THE SENATE DEAL



**"I won't do it thinking we've accomplished anything here today, other than the smallest finger in a dike that in fact has hundreds of holes in it."**

— REP. DARRELL ISSA, R-CALIF., AFTER CONCEDED HE MIGHT VOTE FOR THE DEAL



**"While neither Democrats nor Republicans got everything they wanted, this agreement is the right thing to do for our country."**

— PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA, PRAISING THE AGREEMENT AFTER THE SENATE'S VOTE

White House to review its progress.

House Speaker John Boehner took no public position on the bill.

It wasn't the first time the tea party-infused House Republican majority has rebelled against the party establishment since the GOP took control of the chamber 24 months ago. But with the two-year term set to end Thursday at noon, it was likely the last. And as

was true in earlier cases of a threatened default and government shutdown, the brinkmanship came on a matter of economic urgency, leaving the party open to a public backlash if tax increases do take effect.

For all the struggle involved in the legislation, even its passage would merely clear the way for another round of controversy almost as soon as the new Congress convenes.

With the Treasury expected to need an expansion in borrowing authority by early spring, and funding authority for most government programs set to expire in late March, Republicans have made it clear they intend to use those events as leverage with the administration to win savings from Medicare and other government benefit programs. ALAN FRAM AND DAVID ESPO (AP)

## What's in the Deal

The White House and Senate finalized details early Tuesday of their fiscal-cliff deal. Here are a few highlights of the bill:

**Tax rates** would remain steady for the middle class but rise at incomes more than \$400,000 for individuals and \$450,000 for couples—levels higher than President Barack Obama had campaigned for in his successful drive for a second term in office.

**The deal** would stop \$24 billion in spending cuts set to take effect over the next two months, although only about half of that total would be offset with spending reductions elsewhere in the budget.

**Taxes on** capital gains and dividends more than \$400,000 for individuals and \$450,000 for couples would be taxed at 20 percent, up from 15 percent.

**The bill** would extend jobless benefits for the long-term unemployed for an additional year at a cost of \$30 billion and would spend \$31 billion to prevent a 27 percent cut in Medicare payments to doctors.

**\$64 billion** would go to renew tax breaks for businesses and for renewable energy purposes, including tax credits for energy-efficient appliances. (AP)

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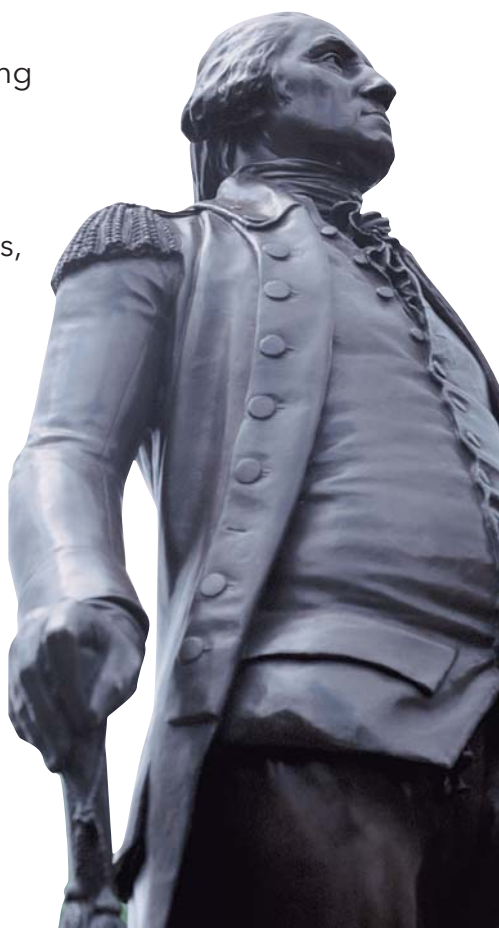
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# Nation

## Study: Drinking Fructose Could Spur Overeating

### Atlanta

This is your brain on sugar — for real. Scientists have used imaging tests to show for the first time that fructose, a sugar that saturates the American diet, can trigger brain changes that may lead to overeating.

After drinking a fructose beverage, the brain doesn't register the feeling of being full as it does when simple glucose is consumed, researchers found.

The small study, published in Wednesday's Journal of the American Medical Association, does not prove that fructose or its relative high-fructose corn syrup can cause obesity, but experts say it adds evidence they may play a role. These sugars often are added to processed foods and beverages, and consumption has risen dramatically since the 1970s along with obesity.

For the study, scientists used magnetic resonance imaging, or MRI, scans to track blood flow in the brains in 20 young, normal-weight people before and after they had drinks with glucose or fructose

### Not Created Equal

**All sugars are not equal** — even though they contain the same number of calories — because they are metabolized differently in the body. Table sugar is sucrose, which is half fructose, half glucose. High-fructose corn syrup is 55 percent fructose and 45 percent glucose. Some nutrition experts say this sweetener may pose special risks, but others and the industry reject that claim. And doctors say we eat too much sugar in all forms. (AP)

in two sessions several weeks apart.

Scans showed that drinking glucose "turns off or suppresses the activity of areas of the brain that are critical for reward and desire for food," said one study leader, Yale University endocrinologist Dr. Robert Sherwin.

With fructose, "we don't see those changes," he said. "As a result, the desire to eat continues — it isn't turned off."

MARILYNN MARCHIONE AND MIKE STOBBE (AP)

## Clinton Expected to Fully Recover

### Washington

Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton continues to recover in a hospital where she's being treated for a blood clot in her head.

Her doctors say blood thinners are being used to dissolve the clot and they are confident she will make a full recovery. Clinton didn't suffer a stroke or neurological damage from the clot that formed after she suffered a concussion during a fainting spell in mid-December, doctors said in a statement Monday.

Clinton, 65, was admitted to New York-Presbyterian Hospital on Sunday when the clot turned up on a follow-up exam, Clinton spokesman Phillipe Reines said. The clot is located in a vein in the space between the brain and the

### Backstory



**In early December,** Hillary Rodham Clinton returned from a trip to Europe and fell ill with a stomach virus. Her

condition worsened when she fainted, fell and suffered a concussion in mid-December. This isn't the first time Clinton has suffered a blood clot. In 1998, a swollen foot led her doctor to diagnose a clot in her knee requiring immediate treatment. (AP)

skull behind the right ear. She will be released once the medication dose for the blood thinners has been established, the doctors said. (AP)



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# World

## In Brief



Palestinians fling stones at Israeli troops Tuesday in Tamoun, West Bank.

### TAMOUN, WEST BANK

#### Raid Triggers Clashes; 8 Palestinians Wounded

An arrest raid by undercover Israeli soldiers disguised as vegetable vendors ignited rare clashes in the West Bank on Tuesday, residents said, leaving at least eight Palestinians wounded. Israeli army raids into Palestinian areas to seize activists and militants are fairly common. (AP)

### BEIRUT

#### Fighting Rages in Syria

Clashes between government troops and rebels Tuesday forced the international airport in Aleppo to stop all flights in and out of Syria's largest city, while battles also raged around the capital, Damascus. The rebels seeking to oust President Bashar Assad have fought for control of Aleppo since the summer. (AP)

### PESHAWAR, PAKISTAN

#### Teachers Among 7 Killed

Gunmen in northwest Pakistan killed five teachers and two aid workers from a nongovernmental organization Tuesday. The group's director said they may have been targeted for anti-polio work. Last month, nine people from an anti-polio campaign were killed by militants. (AP)

### PARIS

#### 1,193 Cars Set on Fire By New Year's Hooligans

French Interior Minister Manuel Valls said Tuesday that 1,193 empty, parked cars were burned overnight in France, where some began adopting the stunt as a New Year's tradition in the 1990s. The attacks held steady from years past: In 2009, the last year official data was made public, 1,147 cars were burned. (AP)

# India's Welfare 'Game Changer'

## Officials cheer plan to curb corruption with direct deposits

### New Delhi

India will send billions of dollars in social welfare money directly to its poor under a new program inaugurated Tuesday, aiming to cut out the middlemen blamed for the massive fraud that plagues the system.

Previously, officials only handed out cash to the poor after taking a cut — if they didn't keep all of it for themselves — and were known to enroll fake recipients or register unqualified people.

The new program would see welfare money directly deposited into recipients' bank accounts and

require them to prove their identity with biometric data, such as fingerprints.

Finance Minister P. Chidambaram has described the venture as "nothing less than magical," but critics accuse the government of hastily pushing through a complex program in a country where millions don't have access to electricity or paved roads, let alone banks.

The opposition Bharatiya Janata Party has accused the ruling Congress party of using the program to gain political mileage ahead of elections expected in 2014.

The program is loosely based on Brazil's widely praised Bolsa Familia program, which has helped lift more than 19 million people out of poverty since 2003.

It was to begin in 20 of India's

### How It Works

**India on Tuesday launched a program to give the money it would spend on such welfare programs as scholarships and pensions directly to the recipients. The program will eliminate middlemen by transferring cash into bank accounts using data from a government project working to give every Indian identification linked to fingerprints and retina scans. Eventually, the transfers are expected to help fix much of India's welfare spending, which is beset with corruption. (AP)**

640 districts Tuesday, affecting more than 200,000 recipients, and will be progressively rolled out in other areas, Chidambaram

said Monday.

"In a huge new experiment like this, you should expect some glitches ... but these will be overcome," Chidambaram said.

He appealed for patience with the program, which he called "a game changer for governance."

But some said the government was trying to do too much too soon.

"A very important concern is, are we ready for this sort of thing?" says Reetika Khera, an economist with the New Delhi-based Institute for Economic Growth.

Mihir Shah, a member of India's Planning Commission, accepts that the government's timeline is "unrealistic" but said many critics had confused the lack of readiness with flaws in the plan itself.

MUNEZA NAQVI (AP)

### A Grim Start to 2013 in Ivory Coast



**A SOLDIER GUARDS BELONGINGS LEFT** Tuesday after a stampede that followed a New Year's fireworks display in Abidjan, Ivory Coast. At least 61 people — mostly youths between 8 and 15 — were killed, more than 200 were injured, and the death toll was expected to rise, rescue workers said. Desperate parents searched the city for their children.

### Hearsay



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— **KIM JONG UN**, NORTH KOREA'S LEADER, WHO ON TUESDAY CALLED FOR IMPROVING THE ECONOMY AND LIVING STANDARDS OF HIS IMPOVERISHED NATION. IN THE NEW YEAR'S SPEECH, KIM PRAISED NORTH KOREAN SCIENTISTS FOR LAST MONTH'S SUCCESSFUL TEST OF A LONG-RANGE ROCKET, A LAUNCH THAT ANGERED THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY.

# 80K

**The estimated number of cars** from Saudi Arabia that crossed into Bahrain on Monday night to celebrate New Year's Eve, the Saudi newspaper *Al-Youm* reported Tuesday. Saudi Arabia adheres to a strict interpretation of Islam and bans alcohol as well as celebrations of Christmas and New Year's Eve. (AP)



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# Warning or White Noise?

Metro Transit Police announcements are ineffective, some say

## Washington

The message has accompanied countless Metro rides. From tunnels in the District to the tracks across Maryland and Virginia, it's always there.

"If you are in urgent need of police assistance while riding in the Metro system, please call Metro Transit Police at 202-962-2121," the recording says.

But to many riders, it's just background noise, no different from the rumbling trains and door chimes.

"I hear it so often I don't pay attention anymore," said Sari Houston, who works in Alexandria and lives in Northeast Washington.

The message is "kind of white noise," said Kate Blackburn, 23, of Rosslyn.

So why does Metro have a police number? Why bombard commuters and tourists with an alternative to 911, perhaps the most recognized phone number in the country?

Metro says the announcement, along with station signs displaying the number, is about reminding riders to be vigilant while also giving them a way to reach Transit Police.

"We have roughly 500 police officers," said Metro Transit Police Chief Michael Taborn, the voice behind the announcement. "The



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Metro Transit Police officers are responsible for 86 rail stations and 160 bus lines.

## Other Strategies

In Chicago, where city police patrol the system, riders are told to call 911. And although Philadelphia's transit system has its own police force and a phone number, riders are encouraged to call 911. (TWP)

thousands of [rider] eyes and ears that are out there can benefit us."

Metro Transit Police, founded in 1976, has jurisdiction in the District, Maryland and Virginia. Its officers are responsible for 86 rail stations spread over 1,500 square miles and 160 bus lines.

Ron Pavlik, deputy chief of Transit Police, said that most riders who want to report a problem go to station managers or to train

or bus operators. And everyone knows 911, but riders need a number for situations that aren't emergencies, Pavlik said.

Some riders said they didn't realize that Metro has its own police force with its own number. Others said they had heard the message but never paused to save the number.

"You've heard that announcement so many times that you don't hear it anymore," said Robin Powers of Alexandria after Taborn's voice rang out in McPherson Square on a recent afternoon.

So what can Metro do to catch the attention of busy commuters?

"They need to come up with a jingle," Powers said.

MARK BERMAN (THE WASHINGTON POST)

# Metrobus Mobile Tracker App Goes Silent

## Washington

A popular smartphone app that tracks Metrobus arrivals has stopped working.

NextBus DC, which uses Global Positioning System tracking and other data to determine when the next bus will arrive at a stop, quit working a few weeks ago

after a contract ended between a company and the inventor of the tracking technology.

The data for NextBus DC was provided by a company called NextBus in Emeryville, Calif.

But a contract between the company and Ken Schmier — who invented the bus-tracking technology — ended in mid-December.

"The time, effort and energy it takes to supply the customized feed doesn't make sense when the same data is available through [Metro's] website for any third-party developer," said Larry Rosenshein, vice president of sales, marketing and business development of NextBus.

DANA HEDGPETH (THE WASHINGTON POST)

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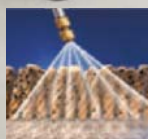


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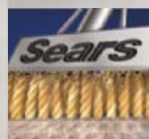


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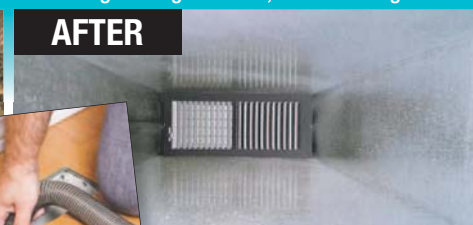
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# Homicides Down Across Region

D.C. hits milestone with under 100; big drop in Pr. George's

## Washington

The number of homicides dropped again last year in the Washington region, including in the District, which grew in population and yet recorded the fewest killings in a half century.

As of Monday evening, the District had 88 killings in 2012, a milestone for D.C. Police Chief Cathy Lanier, whose long-standing goal has been fewer than 100 homicides. As recently as 2009, the

District had 140 killings. In 2011, there were 108.

In Prince George's County, where crime dropped in nearly every category, there were 63 homicides, down from 97 in 2011, a harkening back to the 1980s, when the county had more farmland than urban centers or upscale subdivisions.

Police point to several reasons for the decrease, which has been part of a years-long national trend in some major cities across the country. Authorities have broken up dozens of violent gangs, seized thousands of guns, used technology to monitor the streets and directed additional resources to high-

# 88

The number of homicides in D.C. in 2012, as of Monday night. As recently as 2009, the District had 140 killings; in 2011, there were 108, according to police.

crime areas.

And District officials have given residents a financial incentive to provide tips: Nearly \$600,000 in reward money was paid out last year.

"We used to have 11 shootings and seven, eight homicides in a weekend," Lanier said in a recent interview. "Now we'll have

a whole weekend where we don't respond to a shooting."

Killings in some of the region's suburbs, where violent crimes are far more infrequent, remained about the same as the previous year, with Montgomery County recording 15 and Alexandria none.

A few counties posted increases: Fairfax had 17 and Arlington had four. In 2011, there were 11 homicides in Fairfax and none in Arlington.

Although homicides have fallen, robberies have been a stubborn problem in the District. Smartphones and designer apparel are popular targets.

ALLISON KLEIN (THE WASHINGTON POST)

## In Brief



The Frederick Douglass Bridge closed for major renovation back in July 2007.

## WASHINGTON

### D.C. Plans to Replace Aging Douglass Bridge

District of Columbia officials are rolling out plans to replace an aging bridge in the shadow of the U.S. Capitol. The Frederick Douglass Bridge carries South Capitol Street over the Anacostia River. It was built in 1950. City officials say the bridge may need to be closed unless it's replaced within five to 15 years. Replacing the bridge is expected to cost \$660 million, but Mayor Vincent Gray says a new bridge would be more cost-effective in the long run. (AP)

## RICHMOND, VA.

### Cuccinelli Names Campaign Manager

Virginia Attorney General Ken Cuccinelli's Republican run for governor has a campaign manager. The appointment of Dave Rexrode was announced Monday. He is the former executive director of the Virginia Republican Party. Cuccinelli became the presumptive GOP nominee for governor after Lt. Gov. Bill Bolling announced he would not seek the party's nomination. (AP)

## WASHINGTON

### Man Charged in SE Sexual Assault

Police have arrested a man in connection with a sexual assault that occurred in Southeast Washington. Geary McCall, 52, was charged with sexual assault while armed. Police said that on Saturday evening, a woman was walking on Southern Avenue when she was offered a ride by a man. The woman got into the car, and police said the man produced a handgun and sexually assaulted her. The woman was able to escape. (AP)

## New Laws Take Effect for 2013

A new year means several new laws are taking effect in Maryland and Virginia.

Maryland is banning arsenic in chicken feed, extending the concept of "good time credits" to people on probation and parole and giving parents a new tool to protect their children from identity theft.

In Virginia, it will be harder for state and local governments to take property in the name of eminent domain. Voters overwhelmingly approved a constitutional amendment on the issue in November.

Most laws passed during Virginia and Maryland's 2012 legislative sessions have already taken effect, but several had delayed implementation dates, for a variety of reasons. JOHN WAGNER AND ERRIN HAINES (THE WASHINGTON POST)

## Making History in Maryland



**DARCIA ANTHONY, CENTER, AND DANI WILLIAMS, RIGHT**, of Baltimore laugh together before their wedding Tuesday at Baltimore City Hall. Anthony and Williams were among some of the first same-sex couples to be married in Maryland when they exchanged vows on New Year's Day. Voters in Maryland, Maine and Washington state approved same-sex unions on Election Day, becoming the only states to pass such a measure by popular vote. | [postlocal.com](http://postlocal.com)

## The Lotteries

### Tuesday, Jan. 1

#### Maryland

Mid-day Pick 3 ..... 0-3-0  
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Mid-day Pick 4 ..... 6-1-2-6  
Evening Pick 4 (Mon.) ..... 4-6-4-3  
Match 5 (Mon.) ..... 8-11-30-32-37 (26)

#### District

Mid-day Lucky Numbers ..... 1-7-2  
Evening Lucky Numbers (Mon.) ..... 0-8-8  
Mid-day DC 4 ..... 4-1-1-9  
Evening DC 4 (Mon.) ..... 2-5-7-3  
Mid-day D.C. Five ..... 9-7-1-5-2  
Evening D.C. Five (Mon.) ..... 1-0-7-7-1

#### Virginia

Mid-day Pick 3 ..... 3-3-2  
Evening Pick 3 (Mon.) ..... 4-8-9  
Mid-day Pick 4 ..... 0-6-4-2  
Evening Pick 4 (Mon.) ..... 9-4-1-8  
Mid-day Cash 5 (Tues.) ..... 6-9-16-24-30  
Evening Cash 5 (Mon.) ..... 5-14-22-31-34

All winning numbers are official only when validated at a claims location. Drawings that occur after Express' deadline will be published two days later.



## Sports

## In Brief



Oklahoma State tight end Jeremy Seaton celebrates after a first-half TD.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL

## Oklahoma St. Dominates In Heart of Dallas Bowl

Clint Chelf threw three of Oklahoma State's five touchdown passes and the Cowboys shook off a disappointing Big 12 finish by dominating Purdue 58-14 in the Heart of Dallas Bowl on Tuesday. The Cowboys (8-5) missed out on upper-tier bowls after narrow losses in their last two Big 12 games. (AP)

## COLLEGE BASKETBALL

## Terps Top IUPUI, 81-63

Freshman guard Seth Allen scored 13 points and Maryland completed its nonconference schedule on a 12-game winning streak by beating IUPUI 81-63 Tuesday. Logan Aronhalt came off the bench and finished with 10 points for the Terrapins (12-1). Maryland has not lost since falling to then-No. 1 Kentucky 72-69 in the season opener. (AP)

## TV Lineup

**SOCCER (2:30 P.M., ESPN)** Sunderland travels to Anfield to play Liverpool with the two squads separated by just six points on the Barclay's Premier League table.

**WIZARDS (7 P.M., CSN)** The Wizards hit the road to face the Pacers, who are 10-3 at home this season.

**COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M., ESPN2)** Duke travels across North Carolina to face in-state opponent Davidson.

**COLLEGE FOOTBALL (8:30 P.M., ESPN)** Big East champion Louisville takes on SEC stalwart Florida in the AllState Sugar Bowl in New Orleans.

## Gamecocks Outlast Wolverines

S. Carolina comes out on top, 33-28, against Michigan in Outback

## College Football

Connor Shaw led No. 11 South Carolina to the brink of victory and Dylan Thompson carried the Gamecocks over the hump Tuesday in the Outback Bowl.

Thompson came off the bench to throw a 32-yard touchdown pass with 11 seconds remaining, enabling South Carolina to match a school record for victories in a season with a 33-28 win over No. 19 Michigan.

Thompson replaced Shaw during the winning drive, covering the final 43 yards after Shaw began the march from his own 30. Devin Gardner's third touchdown pass of the game had given Michigan a 28-27 lead.



South Carolina wide receiver Damiere Byrd, right, grabs a first-quarter, 56-yard touchdown pass against the Michigan Wolverines in the Outback Bowl on Tuesday.

Shaw threw for 227 yards and two touchdowns after missing South Carolina's regular season finale with a left foot sprain.

Thompson led the Gamecocks (11-2) to a victory over their archrival, and threw for 117 yards and two touchdowns as a backup.

## Northwestern Ends Bowl Drought

## College Football

Behind huge interceptions early and late, No. 21 Northwestern beat Mississippi State 34-20 in the Gator Bowl on Tuesday, snapping college football's longest postseason losing streak.

The Wildcats (10-3) earned their first bowl game win since 1949, ending a nine-game losing skid that was tied for the longest in NCAA history. They also celebrated double-digit victories for the first time since the 1995 Rose Bowl season.

Quentin Williams returned an interception 29 yards for a touchdown on the third play of the game and Nick Vanhoose set up a late



Northwestern coach Pat Fitzgerald is doused at the end of the Gator Bowl.

touchdown with a 39-yard interception return. Those plays were the difference in a back-and-forth game that featured more interceptions (seven) than touchdowns (six).

The Wildcats spent the final 1:42 celebrating the program's first postseason victory since beating Cal in the 1949 Rose Bowl.

Senior defensive tackle Brian Arnfelt doused coach Pat Fitzgerald with a water bucket and then jumped into his arms. Players danced at midfield and then ran toward the stands to recognize friends, family and fans.

The Wildcats donned Gator Bowl championship hats and posed for pictures long after the final seconds ticked off the clock. (AP)

Gardner threw for 214 yards in his fifth start for Michigan (8-5) since Denard Robinson injured his right elbow late in the season. Robinson took some snaps at quarterback and even attempted his first passes in a game since Oct. 27, but lined up mostly at running back and rushed for 100 yards on 23 carries.

South Carolina standout defensive end Jadeveon Clowney was quiet for much of the day, but shifted momentum in the fourth quarter with a big hit on Michigan's Vincent Smith that sent the running back's helmet rolling several yards backward and caused a fumble that the SEC defensive player of the year recovered to set up Shaw's TD pass to Sanders for a 27-22 lead.

South Carolina ended on a five-game winning streak that followed consecutive losses to LSU and Florida. The Gamecocks also won 11 games last season. FRED GOODALL (AP)

## Georgia Pulls Out Capitol One Bowl Victory

## College Football

Aaron Murray threw five touchdown passes to set a Georgia bowl record, including two in the fourth quarter, as the sixth-ranked Bulldogs beat No. 23 Nebraska 45-31 in the Capital One Bowl on Tuesday.

Murray shook off a pair of first-half interceptions, including one returned for a touchdown, and passed for 427 yards — also a Bulldogs' bowl record — against the nation's top-ranked passing defense. Georgia (12-2) reached 12 wins for the third time in school history. (AP)



**Sanctions Contested:** Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Corbett said Tuesday he plans to sue the NCAA in federal court over sanctions imposed against Penn State in the wake of the Jerry Sandusky child sexual abuse scandal. The sanctions, agreed to by the university in July, included a \$60M fine that would be used nationally to finance child abuse prevention grants. State and federal lawmakers have raised objections to the money being spent outside Pennsylvania. (AP)





Head coaches Andy Reid, Lovie Smith, Ken Whisenhunt, Norv Turner, Pat Shurmur, Romeo Crennel and Chan Gailey, from left, were all fired this week.

## NFL Firing Frenzy Claims 7 Head Coaches

Day after regular season is a dark one for lackluster leaders

### Pro Football

Andy Reid is the winningest coach in the history of the Philadelphia Eagles. Lovie Smith led the Chicago Bears to the 2007 Super Bowl.

Now they're looking for work. Seven coaches and five general managers were fired Monday in a flurry of pink slips that were delivered the day after the regular season ended.

Ken Whisenhunt is out after helping Arizona reach the Super Bowl following the 2008 season. Also gone: Norv Turner in San Diego, Pat Shurmur in Cleveland,

Romeo Crennel in Kansas City and Chan Gailey in Buffalo.

Three teams made it a clean sweep, saying goodbye to the GM along with the coach — San Diego, Cleveland, Arizona. General managers also were fired in Jacksonville and New York, where Rex Ryan held on to his coaching job with the Jets despite a losing record.

Reid was the longest tenured of

the coaches, removed after 14 seasons and a Super Bowl appearance in 2005 — a loss to New England. Smith spent nine seasons with the Bears.

Turner has now been fired as head coach by three teams. San Diego won the AFC West from 2006-2009, but didn't make the postseason the past three years under Turner and GM A.J. Smith.

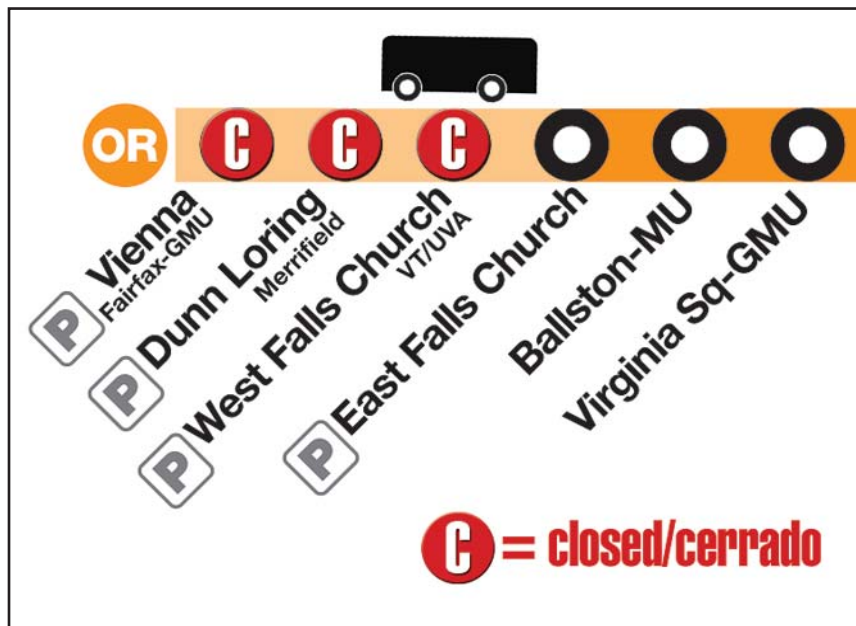
"Both Norv and A.J. are consummate NFL professionals, and they understand that in this league, the bottom line is winning," Chargers President Dean Spanos said.

Whisenhunt was fired after six seasons. He had more wins than any other coach in Cardinals history, going 45-51, and has one year worth about \$5.5 million left on his contract.

GM Rod Graves had been with Arizona for 16 years, nine in his current position.

Gailey was dumped after three seasons with the Bills; Shurmur after two; and Crennel had one full season with the Chiefs. (AP)

# TRACK WORK THIS WEEKEND



From Friday, January 4 at 10 p.m. to Sunday, January 6 at closing: Buses replace trains on the Orange Line between East Falls Church and Vienna while Metro performs work in preparation for the Silver Line. For last train times or information about shuttle bus service, parking, alternate routes or track work on upcoming weekends, please visit [MetroForward.com](http://MetroForward.com) or call 202-637-7000.



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# Cover Story



## A REMARKABLE ROOKIE SEASON. A SIGN OF GREATNESS TO COME?

**It didn't take long for Robert Griffin III** to completely change the outlook of the Redskins. Washington went from perennial NFC East doormat to division champion with the No. 2 pick of the 2012 NFL Draft under center. Griffin is just the second quarterback in NFL history to pass for 3,000 yards and rush for 750 yards in the same season. He was second in the league in passer rating (102.4) this year. And his five interceptions were fewer than any quarterback's in the league with more than 265 pass attempts. Griffin was labeled the face of the franchise before he even took his first snap. But that's just the nature of the position these days; rookie quarterbacks are held to a higher standard. When Peyton Manning came into the league as the top pick in the 1998 NFL Draft, there was a learning curve for first-year passers. Manning threw 28 interceptions and led the Colts to a 3-13 record as a rookie. Since then, rookie quarterbacks including Ben Roethlisberger, Joe Flacco and Mark Sanchez have led their teams to postseason wins. Now, high draft picks are expected to make an immediate impact, and the 2012 class has obliged. Three rookie quarterbacks — Griffin, Andrew Luck and Russell Wilson — have led their teams to the postseason this year. The success of these first-year quarterbacks — not to mention Redskins running back Alfred Morris — has made for a compelling race for Rookie of the Year. Whether or not Griffin wins the award, he has completed one of the most impressive rookie seasons in NFL history. Now what can he do in the playoffs? JEFFREY TOMIK (EXPRESS)



**5. Big Hits**  
Griffin's mobility makes him an electrifying runner, but it also leaves him vulnerable — as was evident with his early exits in Week 5 (concussion) and Week 14 (knee injury).



**4. Marching In**  
In his first career start, Griffin went 19-for-26 for 320 yards and two touchdowns to out-duel Drew Brees and the Saints in a 40-32 season-opening win.



**3. Signature Scamper**  
The Redskins faced a third-and-6, up five with under three minutes left. Then Griffin raced 76 yards for a game-clinching touchdown vs. the Vikings.



**2. Thankful for RGIII**  
In the national spotlight on Thanksgiving, Griffin threw three second-quarter touchdowns, and the Redskins held on for a 38-31 win over Dallas.



**1. Perfection**  
Not only did Griffin complete 14 of 15 passes for 200 yards and four touchdowns vs. the Eagles — for a perfect 158.3 passer rating — he also ran for 84 yards.

### Five Most Memorable RGIII Moments

### Break From Mediocrity

Since the Redskins' last NFC East title in 1999, 15 different quarterbacks have started a game for Washington. With the future firmly in the hands of Griffin, the quarterback carousel seems to be coming to an end. Here's a look at some of the most memorable failed attempts, in order of their passer rating while with the Redskins.

<b>71.3</b>		<b>74.4</b>		<b>75.0</b>		<b>77.1</b>		<b>80.6</b>		<b>82.3</b>		<b>84.0</b>		<b>102.4</b>	
<b>Tony Banks</b> (2001)	Starts: 14 Record: 8-6 Passing ypg: 159.1 TDs: 10 INTs: 10	<b>Rex Grossman</b> (2010-11)	Starts: 16 Record: 8-10 Passing ypg: 237.4 TDs: 23 INTs: 24	<b>Patrick Ramsey</b> (2002-05)	Starts: 24 Record: 10-14 Passing ypg: 166.1 TDs: 34 INTs: 29	<b>Donovan McNabb</b> (2010)	Starts: 13 Record: 5-8 Passing ypg: 259.8 TDs: 14 INTs: 15	<b>Mark Brunell</b> (2004-06)	Starts: 33 Record: 15-18 Passing ypg: 172.4 TDs: 38 INTs: 20	<b>Jason Campbell</b> (2006-09)	Starts: 52 Record: 20-32 Passing ypg: 208.8 TDs: 55 INTs: 38	<b>Brad Johnson</b> (1999-2000)	Starts: 27 Record: 17-10 Passing ypg: 232.5 TDs: 35 INTs: 28	<b>Robert Griffin III</b> (2012)	Starts: 15 Record: 9-6 Passing ypg: 213.3 TDs: 20 INTs: 5



# lookout



**Fetus of the Year**  
Kim Kardashian and Kanye West's baby will dominate 2013 **27**

## Inside Jokes



## Hilarity to Ensure

**As the calendar flips** to 2013, I look ahead to the coming year in comedy.

► **"Best Week Ever" (Jan. 18, VH1):** Some of my favorite stand-ups — Paul F. Tompkins, Doug Benson and John Mulaney — were among the comics who riffed on pop culture in this clip show (2004-2009), which VH1 is rebooting.



By Rudi Greenberg

► **"Nikki and Sara Live" (Jan. 29, MTV):** Tina Fey and Amy Poehler will bring silliness and sarcasm to the Golden Globes, but the female hosting duo I'm most excited about is Nikki Glaser and Sara Schaefer. The rising comedians star in an outgrowth of their popular (and often too- raunchy-for-TV) podcast "You Had to Be There."

► **"This Is the End" (June 14):** Seth Rogen, Jonah Hill, Danny McBride and Jay Baruchel attend a party at James Franco's house and the world ends. If that sounds like an idea Rogen came up with while stoned, it probably is.

► **"Anchorman: The Legend Continues" (Dec. 20):** In March, I argued that Hollywood suffers a harmful addiction to comedy sequels. The next day, I ate my words when Will Ferrell announced a second "Anchorman." If any character can break the comedy-sequel curse, it's Ron Burgundy.



For more of Rudi's comedy thoughts, follow his Twitter: @rudigreenberg.



**January** The incredible rise of **Lena Dunham** begins as HBO gives critics early looks at the actress-director-writer's series "Girls," a meditation on the awkwardness of being female and 20-ish in New York City. By year's end, Dunham, at 26, will be on her way to becoming what her character, Hannah Horvath, only dreams of being: "The voice of my generation. Or at least, a voice. Of a generation."



Streep

**February** Let's hear it for the adults! **Meryl Streep**, 62, wins her third Oscar for "The Iron Lady." It's her 17th nomination, a record. Meanwhile, all hail **Madonna** — at 54, not only does she score at the Super Bowl with her halftime show, but by year's end, her MDNA global tour will be the highest-grossing of any in 2012.



**March** Enter springtime, and youth again: **Taylor Swift**, who was Billboard's top moneymaker for 2011 and is less than half Madonna's age, writes for the soundtrack of "The Hunger

## 2012: The Year in Pop Culture

# One for The Ages

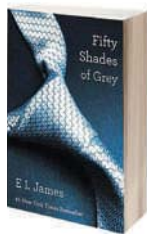
**Marilyn Monroe.** The Rolling Stones. And Bond — James Bond. What do they have in common? All three marked a golden anniversary in 2012.

And after a half-century in our pop-culture consciousness, each one of them displayed a surprisingly enduring appeal. So even though, as a culture, we still worshiped at the fountain of youth in the past year, marveling at the precocious talents of Lena Dunham, Taylor Swift and a slew of charming young Olympians, let's also give a shoutout to some of our most enduring icons. Turns out some things never go out of style. JOCELYN NOVECK (AP)

**Games.** Later in 2012, Swift will have the biggest sales week for any album in a decade, for "Red."



**April** In technology news, **Facebook** buys **Instagram** for a cool \$1 billion, banking on people's insatiable desire to share photos of their most mundane moments.



**May** The weather's getting warm, and certain phrases are fast becoming ingrained into our consciousness. One of them is "Call Me Maybe"; Carly Rae Jepsen's dangerously catchy tune hits No. 1 on iTunes. Another is "Fifty Shades of Grey."

The so-called "Mommy Porn" trilogy — the publishing sensation of the year — is banned by some public libraries due to its steamy content.

**June** Let's dedicate the month to **Nora Ephron**, the author, filmmaker and essayist whose searing wit put her in a class of her own. Her death at age 71 brings a flood of tributes.

**July** Who'd have thought the cheesy words "Hey, sexy lady" would go so far? South Korean singer **Psy's** video for his song "Gangnam Style" emerges this month, and the rest is history — it will become the most watched YouTube clip of all time.

**August** Crusty **Clint Eastwood**, 82, makes our night at the GOP convention with his infamous

"empty chair" chat with President Obama. It becomes one of the enduring moments of the campaign, if also the most puzzling.

**September** The most uninhibited person on the planet is now officially **Lena Dunham**, who gets naked at the Emmys — to be precise, she sits naked on a toilet and eats a birthday cake in an opening skit.



**October** Binders full of women! Big Bird! Malarkey! Debate season is on, so let the instant memes begin. This is the first election where you could have followed the debates purely via Twitter.



**November** Embodied by the tough and chiseled **Daniel Craig**, British spy James Bond is in better shape than ever as the franchise marks its 50th anniversary with "Skyfall."

**December** The world is abuzz with news of a royal pregnancy. Soon, a baby will be one of the biggest celebrities in the world. But for now, let's salute the **Rolling Stones**, whose average age is 68-plus, slightly older than the average Supreme Court justice. In five concerts marking the Stones 50th year as a rock band, the grizzled foursome shows the world they still have the power to rock huge arenas.

**What's Worth Remembering?** Go to [washingtonpost.com/entertainment](http://washingtonpost.com/entertainment) for the Post's critics take on 2012's best music, television, art, dance and more.



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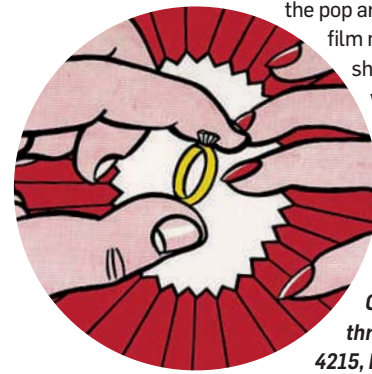
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**1 Frozen Ogre**

This year's "Ice!" extravaganza at Gaylord National is Shrek-themed. The 2 million pounds of ice that went into this year's sculptures (and 20-foot ice slides!) have been used to create frozen versions of Donkey, Shrek and Princess Fiona that retell the plot of Shrek's holiday special in multiple ice tableaux. **Gaylord National Resort, 201 Waterfront St., Oxon Hill, Md.; through Sun., \$16-\$30; 301-965-2000, Gaylordhotels.com.**

**2 Exactly What Is a Hostile Work Environment?**

The play "Contractions," which opens tonight in its U.S. premiere, tries to unsnarl the modern problems of workplace romance and harassment. Alyssa Wilmoth-Keegan and Holly Twyford, playing an employee and her manager, tangle in this two-person dissection of the ethics of office relationships. **Studio Theatre, 1501 14th St. NW; through Jan. 27, \$30 and up; 202-332-3300, Studiotheatre.org. (Dupont Circle)**

**3 Moving Pictures**

Already seen the National Gallery's Roy Lichtenstein exhibit? Learn even more about the pop art master with the three film monographs being shown at the museum this week. Each film covers a different phase of Lichtenstein's career, from the '60s through the '90s. **National Gallery of Art, East Building, 4th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; through Fri., free; 202-737-4215, Nga.gov. (Archives)**



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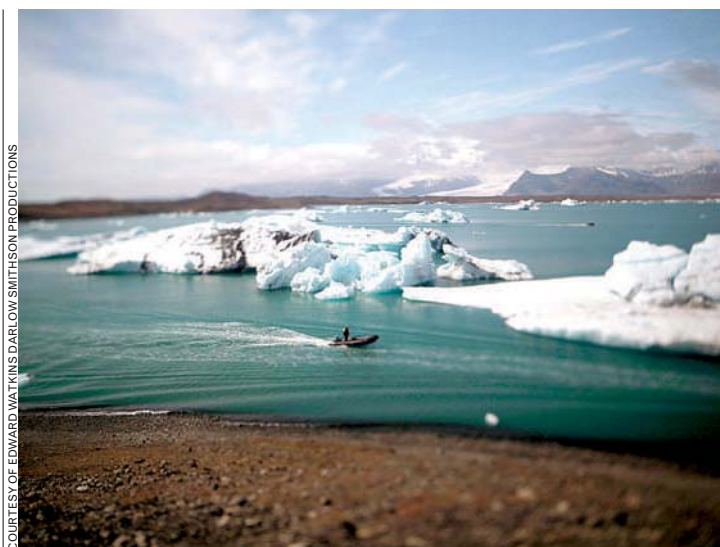
Put 'two Icelandic volcanoes' on your list of things to fear

### Science

**PBS 9:00** The Mayan calendar was so 2012. "Doomsday Volcanoes" on "NOVA" (9 p.m., PBS) recalls the 2010 eruption of that unpronounceable Icelandic volcano, Eyjafjallajökull, and heralds potential Icelandic volcano-based cataclysms to come.

As you may recall, Eyjafjallajökull filled the skies over much of the Northern Hemisphere with smoke, grit and debris, forcing the cancellation of trans-Atlantic flights and stranding hundreds of thousands of people.

Eyjafjallajökull was put on the media's back burner when a BP oil rig blew up off the Gulf Coast. But the one-two punch of the stories gave many people the impression that we were entering a strange



Iceland is beautiful, at least until its simmering volcanoes destroy it. And Europe.

new era when extreme events — natural and manmade — would literally rock our world.

According to "NOVA," the 2010 eruption was small potatoes compared to the destructive potential of Hekla and Laki, two other Icelandic volcanoes that are as much

as 10 times bigger than Eyjafjallajökull.

A second "NOVA" presentation, "Life on Fire" (10 p.m., PBS), examines how European nations are preparing for such potentially cataclysmic events. KEVIN McDONOUGH (UNIVERSAL UCLICK)

### Best Bets

**NBC 8:00**



**Whitney** Alex (Chris D'Elia) risks Whitney's (Whitney Cummings, left) wrath when he agrees to let his former fiancée crash on the couch without asking her first. Lily (Zoe Lister-Jones) uses Roxanne's (Rhea Seehorn) apartment for a date of her own.

**FOOD 9:00**

**Restaurant: Impossible** Robert is in Keyport, Wash., to help Pat and Karan, now on the verge of losing all they've worked for at their restaurant, the Whiskey Creek Steakhouse. Getting the food and decor up to snuff will be the easy part of this project, as he also has to root out the employee he suspects of stealing from the business.

**TLC 10:00**

**Cheer Perfection** After a successful exhibition performance, Alisha is determined to make sure Youth Silver brings its A game to the competition circuit.

**FX 10:00**



### American Horror Story: Asylum

The Monsignor (Joseph Fiennes) has a confrontation with the devil in this new episode, "The Name Game," as Dr. Arden's (James Cromwell) experimenting comes to a surprising conclusion. Dr. Thredson (Zachary Quinto) makes a reunion happen for Kit (Evan Peters, left).

(TRIBUNE MEDIA)

### Reality



### Little Princesses

Lexington, Ky., is the setting for this new episode of "Toddlers & Tiaras" (9 p.m., TLC), which focuses on three girls competing in the International Fresh Faces Pageant. Kendyl is only 18 months, but her dad, a tattoo artist, has his eyes on a prize for her. Jozy is a 3-year-old whose many trips to timeout are cutting into her practice time. The oldest of the featured girls, 6-year-old Alanna, calls on a celebrity and her alter ego to give her an edge in "Intl. Fresh Faces: Kentucky Derby." (TM)



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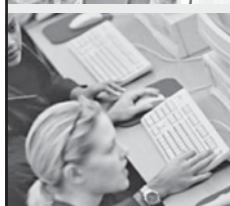
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— **MATTHEW PERPETUA** at BuzzFeed.com thinks that My Bloody Valentine's new release set for this year, their first since “Loveless” in 1991, could be a major letdown.



“I traditionally roll my eyes at making resolutions at the turning of the year. Hardly anyone keeps them, thus rendering the exercise pointless. Goals, of course, are good, but there's something about January 1st that just makes the exercise obnoxious. Nevertheless, I want to participate this year.”

— **ORANGEHOODIE.COM** hopes to take an iron pill every day and read at least 30 books in 2013.

“May I humbly suggest two New Year's resolutions for your consideration? One space after marks of punctuation and No. More. Em dashes.”

— **@WASTETIMETHME** has some typographical suggestions for the new year.

“We hadn't really noticed that Hannah Storm wasn't at work on ESPN the last three weeks, the rotating cast of SportsCenter anchors being so large and all. But earlier today news broke that Hannah Storm was returning from her absence, and the reason for her three-week leave is nothing short of terrifying.”

— **DYLAN MURPHY** at Sportsgrid.com reacts to news that the ESPN anchor returned to the air New Year's Day after she was seriously burned in a propane gas grill accident at her home. Storm suffered second-degree burns on her chest and hands and first-degree burns to her face and neck. She lost her eyebrows and eyelashes and roughly half her hair.

“How is Marlon Wayans on FOX and BET at the same time!! In two [different] outfits!”

— **@MRSBURNETT0626** was surprised to see the star of the upcoming movie “A Haunted House” hosting a live show on Fox and a recorded one on BET on New Year's Eve.



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### CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Something new and exciting may be starting very soon, and today is your window to get some good preparation in the bag.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** You can bet that messages received early in the day will prove more important than anything said to you later on. Wake up and pay attention!

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** You're likely to come across an obstacle that is at once daunting and also somewhat exciting. Do you have what it takes?

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You can make improvements to the status quo today that will be long remembered — but to you they're simply a necessary convenience.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You're not the kind to stress about that which is unavoidable — but today you're facing a truly daunting task. Get ready!

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** You may find that a close friend or partner is not as willing to do things your way as you had assumed. Discussion is in order.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Someone you've just met may prove a valuable contact as you strive to get a new project off the ground. He or she is excited about your plans.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** You know that you're on the right track, but today you'll receive the kind of affirmation that had been lacking before.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** You may have to start a thing more than once before you hit your stride. Fortunately, you're not in the spotlight — yet.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** Focus on doing things in the right order today — and, yes, there is a right order, though it may not be what the boss is suggesting.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** You need to get in touch with those who can implement your plans — and today is the only day that gives you time to explain yourself fully.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** You have things you must do and things you want to do, and you can get them all done if you pace yourself.

## Scrabble Grams

PAR SCORE 140-150, BEST SCORE 202

A <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>3</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	H <sub>4</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>

Double  
Word Score

RACK 1

E <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>3</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>

RACK 2

A <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	G <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>

RACK 3

A <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	S <sub>1</sub>

2nd Letter  
Double

RACK 4

### Friday's Solution

R <sub>1</sub>	O <sub>1</sub>	M <sub>3</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	RACK 1 =	72
M <sub>3</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	M <sub>3</sub>	O <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>		RACK 2 =	10
I <sub>1</sub>	G <sub>2</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	O <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>3</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	RACK 3 =	64
R <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	RACK 4 =	59
PAR SCORE 145-155								TOTAL
								205

### FOUR RACK TOTAL

Make a 2-7-letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word using scoring directions at right. Seven-letter words get a 50-point bonus. Blank tiles used as any letter have no point value. Scrabble is a trademark of Hasbro in the U.S. and Canada.

## Sudoku

MEDIUM

		9		1	3	2		
		5		9	8	1	6	4
						9		
9			1				8	
3			9		5			1
	8				2			6
		7						
4	5	2	6	3		8		
		3	8	7		6		

### Friday's Solution

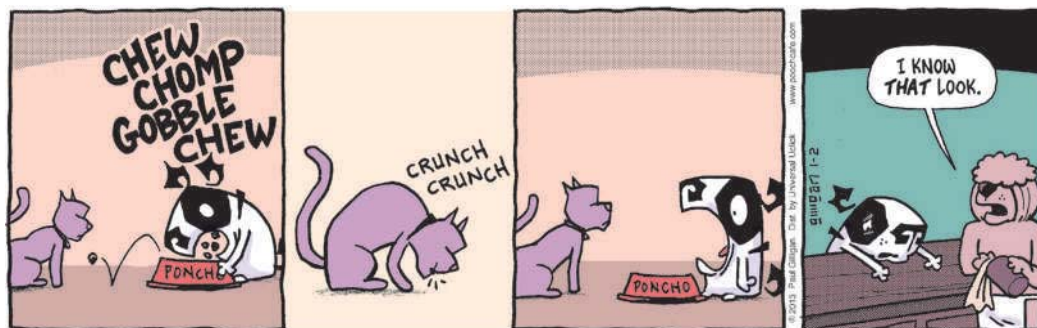
7	4	5	3	2	1	8	6	9
2	6	1	9	4	8	7	3	5
3	9	8	7	5	6	1	4	2
1	2	3	8	7	5	6	9	4
9	8	4	1	6	2	5	7	3
6	5	7	4	9	3	2	8	1
8	3	9	5	1	7	4	2	6
4	1	6	2	8	9	3	5	7
5	7	2	6	3	4	9	1	8

### Need more Sudoku?

Find another puzzle in the Comics section of The Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

## Comics

### POOCH CAFE | PAUL GILLIGAN



### PEARLS BEFORE SWINE | STEPHAN PASTIS



## Forecast

**38** **27**

**Today:** Colder today with sunshine and patchy clouds. Partly cloudy tonight.

**41** **28**

**Tomorrow:** Chilly tomorrow with partial sunshine. Partly cloudy tomorrow night.

### Looking Ahead

<b>FRI</b>	<b>SAT</b>	<b>SUN</b>
<b>40</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>50</b>	<b>31</b>	

### Sun and Moon

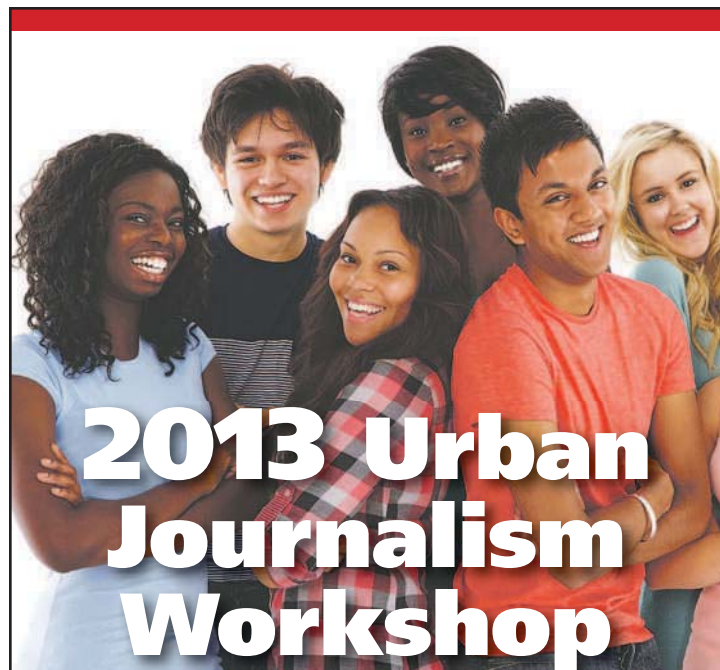
Sunrise today: 7:27 a.m.  
Sunset today: 4:58 p.m.  
Moonrise today: 10:25 p.m.  
Moonset today: 10:11 a.m.

### Almanac

Normal high: 44  
Record high: 69  
Normal low: 29  
Record low: -14

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# 2013 Urban Journalism Workshop

**The Washington Post Young Journalists Development Program (YJDP) and the Washington Association of Black Journalists present the Urban Journalism Workshop (UJW).** The workshop gives high school students in the Washington area an inside look at careers in journalism. Experienced journalists from The Washington Post, the Associated Press, National Public Radio and other media companies teach UJW students the basics of real-time journalism. Three scholarship awards will be presented to seniors who excel during the workshop and demonstrate strong research, reporting and writing ability. There is no fee to apply or attend.

## Fast Facts:

- ✓ Workshops meet for eight consecutive Saturdays from March 2 – April 27.
- ✓ Sessions run from 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at various sites throughout Washington, D.C.
- ✓ Scholarships will be based on an essay, stories produced in the workshop and participation in all eight sessions.
- ✓ All students attending high schools in the Washington area are encouraged to apply.
- ✓ Applications must be postmarked or delivered by Friday, January 25, 2013.

## How do I apply?

To download an application and learn more about the Urban Journalism Workshop, visit <http://wabi-dc.org> or [www.washingtonpost.com/youngjournalists](http://www.washingtonpost.com/youngjournalists).

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## Crossword

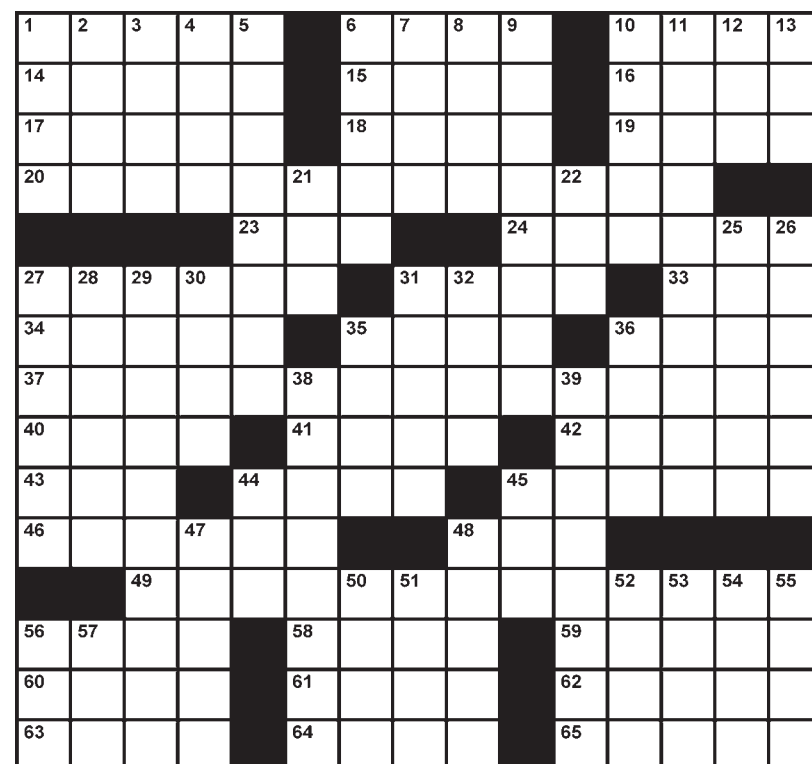
ONE AND ONLY

### ACROSS

- 1 Bailiwick
- 6 Seize suddenly
- 10 Bombard with unwanted email
- 14 Goldfinger's first name
- 15 Kinks song
- 16 Well-mannered
- 17 Coffee machine setting
- 18 List lengthener
- 19 "You can say that again!"
- 20 Full possession
- 23 Blanched
- 24 "Annie" actress Quinn
- 27 Discussed (with "over")
- 31 Fortune's partner
- 33 Biochemist's letters
- 34 Prove beneficial
- 35 A pueblo dweller
- 36 Planning to vote no
- 37 Disposable vacation purchase
- 40 Lattice strip
- 41 Killed, old-style
- 42 Irritated
- 43 Airport posting (Abbr.)
- 44 A male horse, perhaps
- 45 Flips, as a coin
- 46 Computer whiz
- 48 "I kid \_\_\_\_ not!"
- 49 Nickname derived from a flag
- 56 Old Russian despot
- 58 "Animal Crackers" brothers
- 59 Shady plot
- 60 Piece of an orchestra?
- 61 Holder of combs, perfumes, etc.
- 62 Property restrictions
- 63 Facility
- 64 Poor grades
- 65 Acrobatic maneuver

### DOWN

- 1 Castaway's clothing
- 2 Foreign currency
- 3 Seed jacket
- 4 Salesman's wares
- 5 "A Clockwork Orange" actor
- 6 Close of "Fatal Attraction"
- 7 Kind of memorization
- 8 Withdrawn apple spray
- 9 Kind of vinegar
- 10 Garden gastropod
- 11 Purple-tinged flowers
- 12 Team's best pitcher
- 13 Robin Hood's merry crew
- 21 Big bundle of bucks
- 22 Hurry
- 25 Course after the appetizer
- 26 Aquatic nymphs
- 27 Pig's innards
- 28 Fly an aircraft
- 29 Head of a major toy outfit
- 30 Companion of mighty



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- 31 Blended, as copper wires
- 32 All over again
- 35 Bantu language
- 36 "Lucky Jim" author Kingsley
- 38 Highly thought of
- 39 Wake-up calls, e.g.
- 44 Stray from the straight and narrow
- 45 Prominent rock
- 47 Centaur, in part
- 48 Graph mainstay
- 50 Fill beyond full
- 51 Founded on fact
- 52 Send sprawling
- 53 Early Genesis victim
- 54 Tennille or Morrison
- 55 Old beginning for "while"

- 56 Unit smaller than a foot
- 57 Five-star hotel amenity

## Friday's Solution



## Today in History

**1921** The play that coins the term "robot," "R.U.R." (Rossum's Universal Robots) by Karel Capek, is first performed in Czechoslovakia.

**1960** Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts launches his successful bid for the presidency.

**2006** A blast at the Sago Mine in West Virginia kills 12 miners. One miner was eventually rescued.

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Celebrities tweeted their most profound thoughts about 2013:

**"I'm gonna try to go Vegan. Discipline test. NOT looking forward to it. Wish me luck!!"**

—NE-YO

**"Let's inspire each other to be our greatest selves [in] 2013!!! Endless blessings to you!!!"**

—ALICIA KEYS

**"Do not remain [silent] in the face of violence ever again. Each and every abuse is a scar on the World's cheek."**

—WYCLEF JEAN

**"Another wild NYE! So wild Spencer can't find the new phone I got him for Christmas."**

—HEIDI MONTAG

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—JUSTIN BIEBER



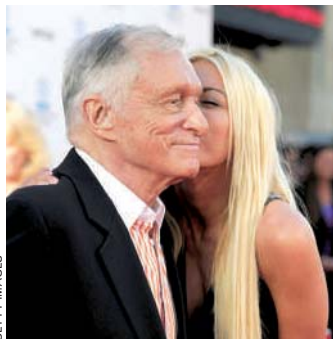
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Kim was appalled. How could Kanye not have started thinking about her push present?

#### JEALOUS NO MORE

## America's Answer to the Royal Fetus

Kim Kardashian is pregnant with Kanye West's child, West revealed at a performance Dec. 30 in Atlantic City, N.J. "Stop the music for a second. Can we make some noise for my baby mama?" he said. Kardashian, who was in the audience, later confirmed the news on her blog: "It's true!! Kanye and I are expecting a baby. We feel so blessed and lucky." Other Kardashians soon began tweeting about the pregnancy. "I am a happy girl! Wowza! Oh BABY BABY BABY!!" wrote Kris Jenner, Kardashian's mother. "Keeping secrets is hard," noted Khloe Kardashian. (EXPRESS)



Crystal just closes her eyes and pretends she's kissing Thomas Jefferson.

#### FINANCIAL PLANNING

### 'No One Offered as Good a Retirement Plan as Yours'

Hugh Hefner is a married man once again. The Playboy magazine founder, 86, exchanged vows with Crystal Harris at a private Playboy Mansion ceremony New Year's Eve. Harris, a 26-year-old "Playmate of the Month" in 2009, broke off a previous engagement to Hefner just before they were to be married in 2011. (AP)



#### FORECAST

### Daily LiLo News Items Due To Continue Throughout 2013

Lindsay Lohan's "Million Dollar Decorators" episode aired Tuesday on Bravo. "Before" photos of Lohan's Venice, Calif., mansion show that it was decorated only with Chanel handbags before Lohan hired designer Kathryn Ireland to give her home a "princess-y, French cottage" feel. "I think this house is a fresh start for Lindsay," Ireland said on the show. (EXPRESS)

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